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Foreword

The Committee on Lectures and Publications has the honor to present herewith the fourteenth number of the Society's *Year Book*, with which is combined the annual reports for the year 1936.

WINTHROP L. CARTER, *Chairman.*

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MR. ROBERT H. ROLAND

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Awarded the George Robert White Medal of Honor in 1936

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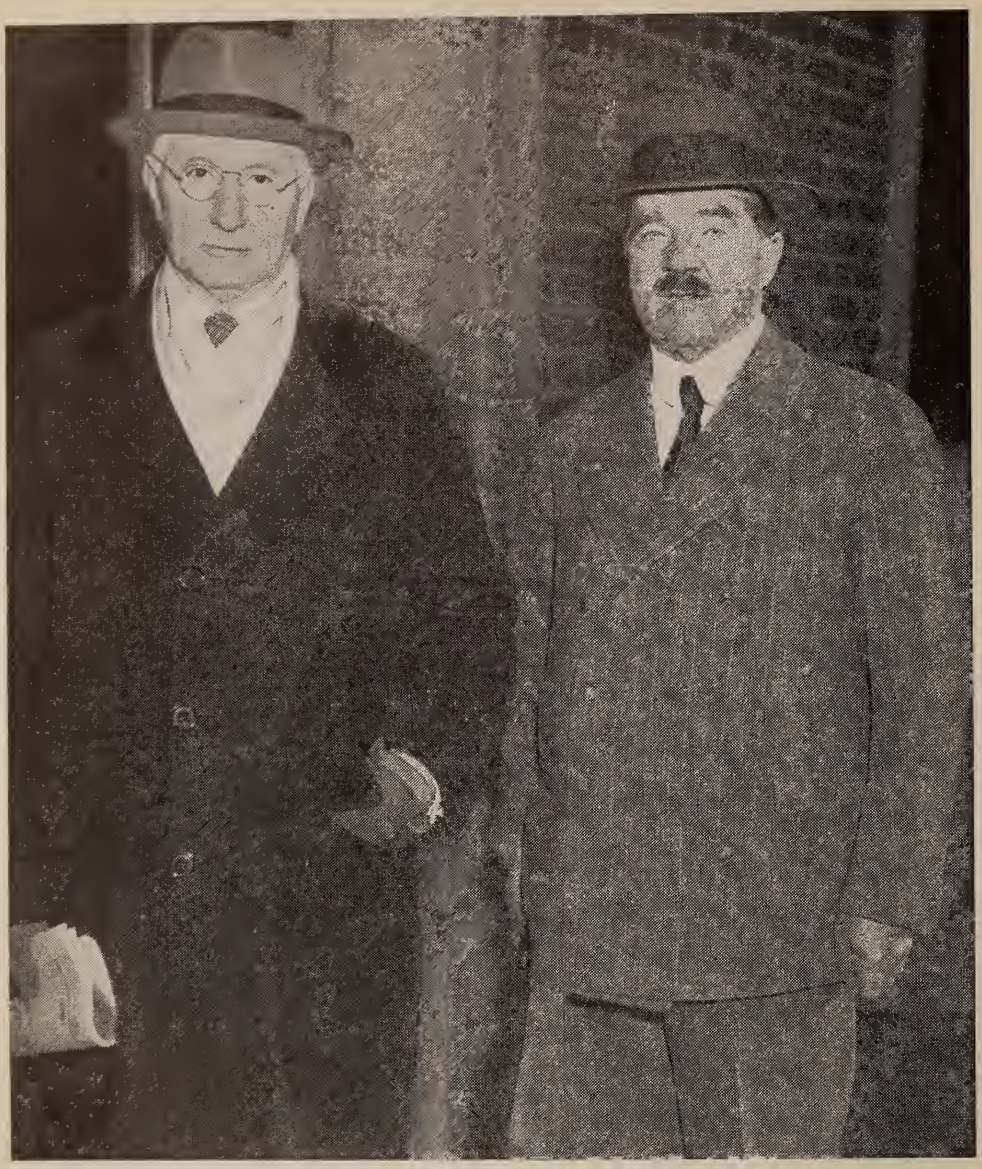


TWO DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

The Spring flower show in March 1937 was made notable by the attendance, as a special guest, of Lord Aberconway (right) president of the Royal Horticultural Society. Lord Aberconway acted as one of the judges and made an address at the Society's dinner held in Horticultural Hall on the evening of March 13. Another honored guest was Mr. C. Frederick C. Stout (left) president of The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society. Mr. Stout also acted as one of the judges.

Medals and Certificates Awarded in 1936

The Albert C. Burrage Gold Vase

Mrs. Frederick F. Brewster, for a tulip garden at the Spring Show.

George Robert White Medal of Honor

Harlan Page Kelsey, for eminent service in horticulture.

Thomas Roland Medal

Elmer D. Smith, for his success in hybridizing chrysanthemums.

Jackson Dawson Memorial Medal

Robert M. Grey, superintendent Atkins Institution of the Arnold Arboretum in Cuba for many years, for his work in hybridizing citrus fruits.

President's Cup

Albert A. Hulley, for a rose garden at the Spring Show.

Gold Medal of the Horticultural Society of New York

Will C. Curtis, for a woodland scene at the Spring Show.

Gold Medal of The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society

Miss Elizabeth A. Downs, for a group of cymbidiums.

Silver Cup

A. Frylink & Sons, Inc., for an exhibit of daffodils.

Crystal Vases

Edwin S. Webster, for an exhibit of daffodils.
Edwin S. Webster, for an exhibit of tulips.

Gold Medals

L. Sherman Adams Company, for a group of orchids.
Bay State Nurseries, Inc., for an azalea border at the Spring Show.
Mrs. F. F. Brewster, for a bulb garden at the Spring Show.
Bristol Nurseries, Inc., for a hardy chrysanthemum garden.
Cherry Hill Nurseries, for a combined exhibit of peonies, rhododendrons, and azaleas.
Corliss Brothers, Inc., for a rock wall garden at the Spring Show.
Mrs. Francis B. Crowninshield, for a group of chrysanthemums.
Mrs. Francis B. Crowninshield, for a display of sweet peas.
Mrs. Maurice J. Curran, for an informal garden at the Spring Show.
Mrs. John S. Curtis, for a display of vegetables.
Will C. Curtis, for a woodland scene at the Spring Show.
Miss Elizabeth S. Downs, for a group of cymbidiums.
Ormond Hamilton, for a woodland scene at the Spring Show.

Alexander I. Heimlich, for a garden at the Spring Show.
Herb Society of America, for an Old World bee garden.
Albert A. Hulley, for a rose garden at the Spring Show.
Mrs. Charles S. Jenney, for a porch overlooking a garden.
Harlan P. Kelsey, Inc., for a garden at the Spring Show.
Dr. Walter G. Kendall, for a display of grapes.
Massachusetts Department of Conservation, for a naturalistic conservation scene at the Spring Show.
Massachusetts State College, for an educational exhibit at the Spring Show.
S. Z. Mitchell, for a chrysanthemum garden at the New York show.
North Shore Horticultural Society, for a garden at the Spring Show.
A. N. Pierson, Inc., for a display of roses.
Thomas Roland, Inc., for a group of acacias.
Richard H. Stiles, for a display of herbs.
Norman Taylor, for his work as editor of "The Garden Dictionary."
Mrs. John Barnes Townsend, sweepstake prize, dahlia classes, at Philadelphia show.
Mrs. M. M. Van Beuren, for a display of chrysanthemums.
Mrs. M. M. Van Beuren, for a group of hardy lilies.
Charles C. Walker, for a group of chrysanthemums.
Watuppa Orchards, for a display of apples and pears.
Edwin S. Webster, for a group of chrysanthemums.
Edwin S. Webster, for a group of orchids.
Weston Nurseries, Inc., for an azalea border at the Spring Show.

Silver Medals

L. Sherman Adams Company, for a collection of cypripediums.
L. Sherman Adams Company, for a group of clivia.
L. Sherman Adams Company, for a group of orchids.
Bay State Nurseries, Inc., for a collection of herbs.
Bay State Nurseries, Inc., for the best trade exhibit at the Spring Show.
Joseph Breck and Sons, for a display of annuals.
Butterworth's, for a group of orchids (2).
F. I. Carter and Sons, for a group of cacti and succulents.
Corliss Brothers, Inc., for a display of hardy herbaceous perennials.
William N. Craig, for a table rock garden.
Will C. Curtis, for a display of medicinal herbs used by the American Indians.
Will C. Curtis, for a collection of native orchids.
Will C. Curtis, for a naturalistic planting of hardy ferns.
George Earney, for the most points in the seedling dahlia classes.
A. Frylink and Sons, Inc., for the best daffodil bloom in the show (Therapia).
Mrs. Homer Gage, for a bulb garden at the Spring Show.

George P. Gardner, Jr., for a group of plants.
Mrs. O. M. Godfrey, for a large terrarium.
Ormond Hamilton, for a rock garden at the Spring Show.
F. W. Hunnewell, for a group of orchid plants.
Massachusetts Audubon Society, for a portion of the Plum Island Bird Sanctuary at the Spring Show.
Hilda Masterson, for an aquarium at the Spring Show.
North Street Greenhouses, for a group of fibrous or flowering begonias.
North Street Greenhouses, for a group of rex begonias.
Charles E. Pettengill, Essex County Agricultural School, for a science educational exhibit.
Thomas Roland, Inc., for a group of *Acacia cultriformis.*
Thomas Roland, Inc., for a group of saintpaulias.
Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall, for a group of Turnford Hall begonias.
Professor A. P. Saunders, for an exhibit of seedling peonies.
Allan Sim, for a vase of Klondike snapdragons.
Richard H. Stiles, for a bird feeding station.
Rufus W. Stimson, for his work in stimulating the study of horticulture, and for his long and excellent service.
Walter Tataronis, Essex County Agricultural School, Judging and Identification Contest at the Spring Show.
Vaughan's Seed Store, for a display of gladioli.
W. T. Walke and Sons, for a group of amaryllis.
Watuppa Orchards, for a collection of apples.
Fred P. Webber, for a display of miniature dahlias.
Weston Nurseries, Inc., for a group of heather.
Eric Wetterlow and Son, for a group of achimenes.
Wheaton College, for a terrarium.
James Wheeler and Son, for a display of calla lilies.
James Wheeler and Son, for a display of chrysanthemums.

Bronze Medals

Joseph Breck and Sons, for an artistic trade exhibit at the Spring Show.
W. Atlee Burpee Company, for an artistic trade exhibit at the Spring Show.
Cherry Hill Nurseries, for seedling peonies.
William N. Craig, for a display of rock plants.
Charles K. Cummings, for a basket of *Lantana delicatissima.*
Will C. Curtis, for a naturalistic planting of hardy ferns.
Mrs. H. G. Cutler, for a group of annuals.
Edgell Road Gardens, for a group of unusual rock plants.
Essex County Agricultural School, for an exhibit of tools.
Gibbs Brothers, for a group of hydrangeas.
James Goodale, Essex County Agricultural School, Judging and Identification Contest at the Spring Show.

Jamaica Plain High School, for a collection of cut hardy shrubs and trees.
Jamaica Plain High School, for an exhibit of the products of the boys' summer practice.
Andrew R. Kennedy, Inc., for an artistic trade exhibit at the Spring Show.
J. J. LaMontagne & Son, for a display of gourds.
J. J. LaMontagne & Son, for a display of Indian corn.
Henry Lott, Jamaica Plain High School, Judging and Identification Contest at the Spring Show.
Martin and Farragut Schools, for a school exhibit.
Chester Paskow, Jamaica Plain High School, Judging and Identification Contest at the Spring Show.
Mrs. M. M. Van Beuren, for a group of cyclamen.
Vaughan's Seed Store, for an artistic trade exhibit at the Spring Show.

Bronze Medals for Children's Gardens, Donated by Miss Marian Roby Case, Hillcrest Gardens, Weston, Massachusetts

Wilfred Allen, Sudbury.
George Babits, Greenfield.
Harvey Billings, Cummington.
Barbarba Burke, Forestdale.
Russell Champlin, Westfield.
Francis Cox, Randolph.
Norman Demarais, W. Bridgewater.
James Doherty, South Lincoln.
Ralph Elgh, Rutland.
Marion Foote, Lee.
Adelbert Gooch, Assinippi.
Peter C. Haldoupis, Sudbury.
Seth Hamblin, Marstons Mills.
Robert Henderson, Sherborn.
Kenneth Johnson, Orange.
Lloyd Lawson, Brockton.
Henry J. Lott, Cambridge.
Arno Norman, Brockton.
Chester J. Paskow, Cambridge.
Wesley Place, Brockton.
Algerd Ramarka, Haverhill.
Rawson Brothers, Pittsfield.
Edward Roberts, Granville.
Rocha Brothers, Somerset.
Lawrence Seling, Waltham.
Francis Sutherland, Chesterfield.
Ellen Swanson, Rehoboth.
George Toohill, Cochituate.
Frederick Usher, Danvers.
Raymond Vaill, Monson.

First Class Certificates

Carnation Anita, exhibited by William Sim Carnation Co., Inc.
Carnation Maytime, exhibited by William Sim Carnation Co., Inc.
Carnation Siren, exhibited by William Sim Carnation Co., Inc.
Chrysanthemum Sunburst, exhibited by V. R. DePetris.
Cymbidium Francis Barbour, Baldwin's var., exhibited by George E. Baldwin and Company.
Dendrobium Louis Bleriot, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Gerbera Evelyn Laye, exhibited by C. J. Van Bourgondien.
Rose Chieftain, exhibited by Montgomery Company, Inc.

Award of Merit

Aster Mrs. Charles Wilson, exhibited by William N. Craig.
Brassocattleya Albion, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Burrageria Windsor, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Carnation Paul Revere, exhibited by S. J. Goddard.
Carnation Discovery, exhibited by William Sim Carnation Co., Inc.
Carnation Patrician, exhibited by J. J. LaMontagne and Son.
Carnation Robert Allwood, exhibited by J. J. LaMontagne and Son.
Carnation Sagamore, exhibited by William Sim Carnation Co., Inc.
Carnation Wivelsfield Claret Improved, exhibited by J. J. LaMontagne and Son.
Cattleya Dulce, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Cattleya trianæ var. Nahant, exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Chrysanthemum Col. F. M. Alger, exhibited by V. R. DePetris.
Chrysanthemum Fairy Queen, exhibited by V. R. DePetris.
Chrysanthemum Japanese Imperial, Seminole seedling, exhibited by Louis Vasseur.
Chrysanthemum Mrs. Mary Hooker, exhibited by Bristol Nurseries, Inc.
Chrysanthemum Tagoya, exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Chrysanthemum The Moor, exhibited by Bristol Nurseries, Inc.
Cœlogyne cristata alba, exhibited by F. W. Hunnewell.
Cyclamen atkinsi, exhibited by William N. Craig.
Cymbidium Dorchester, exhibited by Miss Elizabeth A. Downs.
Cymbidium Francis Barbour, var. Golden Glow, exhibited by George E. Baldwin and Company.
Cymbidium Magpie, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Anne Davis, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Baldur, Westonbirt var., exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Chrystanton, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Grace Darling, var. Purity, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Cypripedium Hestia, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Hunsworth, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Lawnacres, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Sir Trevmoore, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Warrior, Green's var., exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Freesia Maryon, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Marigold Yellow Supreme, exhibited by Joseph Breck and Sons.
Neomoorea irroatta, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Odontioda Hiawatha, West Point var., exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.

Oncidium splendidum var. Sulphur, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Rose Tom Thumb, exhibited by The Conard-Pyle Company.
Rose Golden Glow, exhibited by Brightridge Dairy Greenhouses.
Saintpaulia Blue Boy, exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Stanhopea grandiflora, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.

Vote of Commendation

Brassolæliacattleya Freda, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Carnation Grenadier, exhibited by William Sim Carnation Co., Inc.
Carnation King Cardinal, exhibited by Baur-Steinkamp and Company.
Carnation Pink Treasure, exhibited by Baur-Steinkamp and Company.
Carnation Purity, exhibited by Peter Beuerlein's Sons.
Chrysanthemum Japanese Imperial, Cherokee seedling, exhibited by Louis Vasseur.
Chrysanthemum King Midas, exhibited by Bristol Nurseries, Inc.
Cymbidium George E. Baldwin var. Eclipse, exhibited by George E. Baldwin and Company.
Cypripedium Chardmore var. W. H. Page, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Gwen Hannen, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Cypripedium Mrs. James Ingram, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Cypripedium Sir Actæus, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.
Freesia Maryon, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Freesia Sunset, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Freesia Tangerine, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Gladiolus cooperi, exhibited by William E. Clark.
Leucocoryne ixioides odorata, exhibited by Joseph Breck & Sons.
Lycaste tunstilli, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Nasturtium Golden Giant, exhibited by W. Atlee Burpee Company.
Nasturtium Scarlet Giant, exhibited by W. Atlee Burpee Company.
Oncidium Purple King, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Primula sinensis stellata Avalanche, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Rose Gloaming, exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Rose Princess Van Orange (Polyantha), exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Tomato Minute Man, exhibited by Anthony Waters.
Viola Chantreyland, exhibited by William N. Craig.

Cultural Certificate

Mrs. Theodore E. Brown, for *Azalea indica* Jean Harens.
Mrs. Theodore E. Brown, for *Azalea indica* var. Elborine plena.

Mrs. Theodore E. Brown, for an azalea seedling.
Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale, for the cattleya G. P. Walker.
Butterworth's, for *Odontoglossum grande.*
William N. Craig, for *Cypripedium insigne.*
Mrs. John S. Curtis, for specimen cyclamen.
Mrs. John S. Curtis, for *Schizanthus wisetonensis.*
Gardner Museum, for a group of lilies, cinerarias and stocks.
F. W. Hunnewell, for *Cœlogyne cristata.*
F. W. Hunnewell, for a group of orchid plants.
Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall, for a calceolaria hybrid.
James Semple, for *Dimorphotheca ecklonis.*
C. J. Van Bourgondien, for a group of gerberas.
Edwin S. Webster, for a gloriosa.
Edwin S. Webster, for *Rhododendron taylori.*
Charles W. Young, Watuppa Orchards, for the culture of apples.

Vote of Thanks

Mrs. L. O. Anderson, for a dish garden.
Pietro Antonangeli, for the abutilon Savitz.
Pietro Antonangeli, for *Browallia speciosa.*
Aquarium Club of Teacher's College, for a log garden.
Brightridge Dairy Greenhouses, for the rose Golden Climber.
L. G. Bruggemann, for Fordhook bush lima beans.
Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale, for *Dendrobium farmeri.*
Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Seahome, for a group of cyclamen.
F. I. Carter and Sons, for a group of living stones.
William N. Craig, for *Lachenalia tricolor.*
Mrs. Maurice J. Curran, for *Leptosyne maritima.*
Mrs. Maurice J. Curran, for the snapdragon White Rock.
T. F. Donahue, for a collection of peonies.
Mrs. George Fearing, for a group of narcissi.
Fraser's Flowers, for Flaming Velvet petunias.
S. J. Goddard, for the carnation Hermosa.
Sidney Hoffman, for a display of chrysanthemums.
W. B. Hunt, for crassula plants.
J. C. Kelly, for Winter Banana apples.
Dr. G. E. Leontine, for an anthurium.
Dr. G. E. Leontine, for a collection of tropical plants.
Dr. G. E. Leontine, for *Hymenocallis calathina.*
Dr. G. E. Leontine, for *Hymenocallis fragrans.*
Dr. G. E. Leontine, for *Ornithogalum bracteatum.*
Lowthorpe School of Landscape Architecture, for a potting shed at the Spring Show.
Mrs. Elizabeth M. Marcy, for a vase of dahlia-flowered zinnias.
Mrs. Arthur S. Merrill, for a terrarium.

Heinrich Rohrbach, for golden nettle.
Heinrich Rohrbach, for tomatoes grafted on potatoes.
Thomas Roland, Inc., for the hybrid tea rose Matador.
Thomas Roland, Inc., for the saintpaulia Admiral.
Thomas Roland, Inc., for the saintpaulia Neptune.
Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall, for *Azalea indica.*
Symphony Flower Shop, for a vase of flowers.
Mrs. Wilfrid O. White, for a window arrangement for house plants with thermostatically controlled heat and humidity.

Botanical Certificate

Dendrobium loddigesi, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Neomoorea irroatta, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Stanhopea grandiflora, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.

Honorable Mention

Anthuriums, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Seahome.
Azaleas, exhibited by Mrs. John S. Curtis.
Azalea Kurume, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Brunfelsia, exhibited by Mrs. John S. Curtis.
Carnations—Giant Laddie, Dimity, Chief Kokomo, exhibited by J. J. LaMontagne and Son.
Chrysanthemum Buttercup (pompon), exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Chrysanthemum frutescens, exhibited by Mrs. John S. Curtis.
Dendrobium pierardi, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Euphorbia fulgens, Zantedeschia elliottiana, the iris Imperator and the iris D. Haring, exhibited by W. W. Edgar Company.
Gentiana acaulis clusi, exhibited by William N. Craig.
Gladiolus species, exhibited by William E. Clark.
Hyacinth Scarlet Beauty, exhibited by Joseph Breck and Sons.
Iris innomanata, exhibited by William N. Craig.
Kalanchoë globulifera coccinea, exhibited by Mrs. John S. Curtis.
Lilium candidum, the hydrangea Gertrude Glahn, the iris Imperator, the freesia Golden Daffodil, *Daphne cneorum,* exhibited by W. W. Edgar Company.
Linarias, collection of annual, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Narcissi, hardy, exhibited by William N. Craig.
Nemesia hybrids, exhibited by Joseph Breck and Sons.
Odontioda Westminster, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Odontoglossum McNabianum, exhibited by Mrs. Albert C. Burrage, Orchidvale.
Rock garden plants, a collection of, exhibited by William N. Craig.

Rose Blaze, exhibited by Thomas Roland, Inc.
Stocks in variety, exhibited by Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall.
Vanda lammelata var. Boxalli, exhibited by L. Sherman Adams Company.

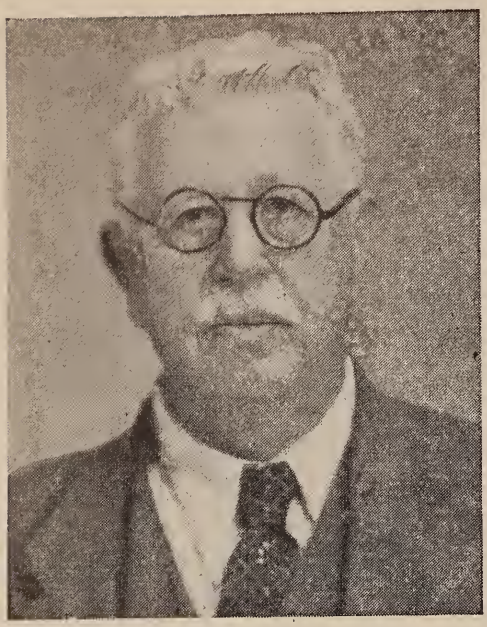
Special Awards in 1936

Late in 1936 the trustees, on recommendation of the Committee on Special Medals, Professor Oakes Ames, chairman, voted to award the George Robert White Medal of Honor to Mr. Harlan P. Kelsey of East Boxford, Mass.; the Thomas Roland Medal to Elmer D. Smith of Adrian, Mich.; and the Jackson Dawson Memorial Medal to Mr. Robert M. Grey of Cuba. The Trustees also voted to award the society's gold medal to Mr. Norman Taylor of New York and the Society's silver medal to Mr. Rufus W. Stimson, Supervisor of Agricultural Education in the State of Massachusetts.

Harlan P. Kelsey

Mr. Kelsey, who was honored by the award of the outstanding horticultural medal in America, has long been a Trustee of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society and for several years was chairman of its Exhibition Committee. He is one of the country's most prominent nurserymen and horticultural authorities and has introduced many worthwhile new plants, particularly those of the Southern Alleghany Mountain region—plants which are now being widely planted (see *Horticulture,* June 15, 1936, for a full account of his work along this line).

Fifty years ago, Mr. Kelsey started the campaign for the use of hardy American plants in American gardens. Probably he was the first nurseryman of importance to stress this point, a point which was particularly important years ago, for at that time there was a general demand for exotic plants and little appreciation of the wonderful trees and shrubs native to this country. Mr. Kelsey was a member of the original committee responsible for "Standardized Plant Names" and is a member of the committee which is now revising this valuable work. He was a member of the Southern Appalachian National Park Commission which selected three new national parks—Shenandoah National Park in Virginia, The Great Smoky Mountain National Park in North Carolina and Tennessee and Mammoth Cave



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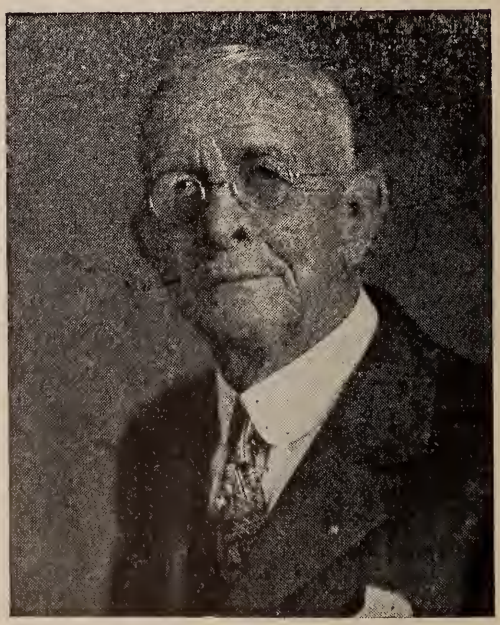

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MR. NORMAN TAYLOR
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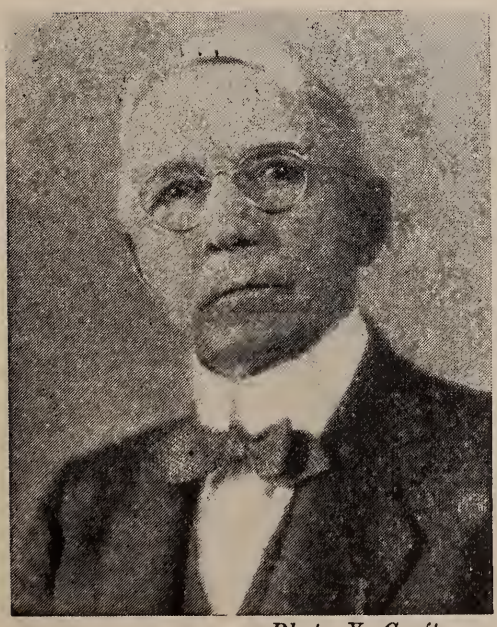

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MR. RUFUS W. STIMSON
Awarded the
Society's silver medal
in 1936

National Park. For many years, he was special advisor to the National Park Service and made many suggestions on proposed areas for national parks.

He was president of the Appalachian Mountain Club for two years and is a Trustee of its real estate. For two years, he was president of the American Association of Nurserymen and is a member of the Advisory Council of the National Arboretum. He organized the first City Planning Board in New England (at Salem, Mass.) and was the first president of the Massachusetts Federation of Planning Boards, one of the first to be organized in America. He succeeded the late Ernest H. Wilson as president of the Horticultural Club of Boston and is an active member of the Massachusetts Trustees of Public Reservations.

Mr. Kelsey was born in Pomona, Kansas, and went to North Carolina as a boy, spending his youth in the Carolina mountains. He has always retained a warm affection for these mountains and has introduced many of the plants growing there.

Elmer D. Smith

Mr. Elmer D. Smith, to whom the Thomas Roland Medal was awarded, may well be called the father of the modern chrysanthemum in America, although he has done much active and successful work with other flowers. He was born in Detroit, Mich., but has spent most of his life in Adrian.

Mr. Smith's adoption of the greenhouse business was the result of his mother's love for flowers. His first greenhouse had brick flues for heating, but as time went on, other houses with water pipes were installed and still later houses with upright boilers for steam. As the business grew, more time and space were devoted to the chrysanthemum.

Breeding had been started, and in 1890, the new chrysanthemum Flora MacDonald was disseminated. It grew so popular that this work was continued, and a long list of varieties ranking among the best has followed as the years have passed. In 1927, Mr. Smith was given the degree of Master of Horticulture by the Michigan State College, and his work with chrysanthemums was set forth in Special Bulletin No. 186, issued by that college in 1928. He has been president and secretary of the Chrysanthemum Society of America and was one of the early life members of the Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists.

Mr. Smith's genial personality has given him wide popularity, and he is looked up to with great respect as the dean of the chrysanthemum industry in America.

Robert M. Grey

Mr. Robert M. Grey has not had a spectacular career but has done much extremely important work as superintendent of the Atkins Institution of the Arnold Arboretum, Harvard University, at Soledad, Cienfuegos, Cuba. His work has been mostly with tropical or semi-tropical plants, as a matter of course, and has helped to make the Botanical Garden in Cuba of great value in many ways. He has played an important part in the introduction of new plants and in the hybridization of citrus fruits. He has been retired as superintendent emeritus.

Norman Taylor

Mr. Norman Taylor was given the Society's gold medal largely for his work as editor of "The Garden Dictionary." which the Special Medal Committee considered the most notable horticultural book which has appeared in America in recent years. This book represents a vast amount of research and is remarkably comprehensive, as well as especially free from inaccuracies. Mr. Taylor was formerly connected with the Brooklyn Botanic Garden in Brooklyn, N. Y., and later spent several years preparing and editing horticultural material for Webster's Dictionary.

Rufus Whitaker Stimson

Rufus Whitaker Stimson is to retire as Supervisor of Agricultural Education for Massachusetts on February 20, 1938, after twenty-six years, and the Massachusetts Horticultural Society salutes him as he terminates a distinguished career of leadership in the training of youth for agriculture.

Mr. Stimson, A.B. Harvard 1895, A.M. Harvard, B.D. Yale, was President of Connecticut Agricultural College for seven years, organized and directed the Smith's Agricultural and Industrial School in Northampton, and is called the originator of the universally used home project method of teaching agriculture. He has been responsible for the development of a splendid program of agricultural education in Massachusetts.

Unusual Flowering and Fruiting Shrubs

In the course of the past year, Mr. Seth Kelsey, son of Mr. Harlan P. Kelsey, a Trustee of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, prepared an exceptionally comprehensive list of unusual flowering and berry-bearing shrubs, hardy in New England and suitable for planting in gardens in this section of the country. This list was presented first at a meeting of the Northeast Region of the Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts, with the Salem Garden Club as hostess, in April, 1937. The list is reproduced here for reference purposes and with Mr. Kelsey's permission.

FLOWERING SHRUBS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Color	Season	Approximate Height in Feet	Remarks
Aesculus discolor mollis	Scarlet Buckeye	Deep scarlet	May-June	7	Rare
Amelanchier lævis	Allegheny Shadblow	White flowers Pink sepals	May	18-20	Best of all Shadblows
Amelanchier stolonifera	Running Shadblow	White	May	2-4	
Azalea schlippenbachi	Royal Azalea	Pale rose	May	2-3	
Berberis chinensis	Chinese Barberry	Yellow	April	3-4	
Berberis koreana	Korean Barberry	Yellow	April	6-7	Choice
Caragana frutex	Russian Pea Shrub	Bright yellow	June	8-10	Very hardy
Clethra acuminata	Cinnamon Clethra	White	July-August	6-8	Rare
Clethra barbinervis	Tree Clethra	White	July-August	15	Rare
Cotoneaster apiculata		White	June	3-4	
Cratægus cordata	Washington Hawthorn	White	May-June	30	
Cydonia japonica pygmæa	Dwarf Flowering Quince	Pink	May	1	
Cytisus supinus	Bigflower Broom	Yellow	June-July	2	

Daphne mezereum	February Daphne	Rosy purple	Feb.-April	2	
Elsholtzia stauntoni		Lilac-purple	Sept.-Oct.	1-3	Large spikes
Enkianthus campanulatus	Redvein Enkianthus	Orange	May	4-6	Very choice
Enkianthus subsessilis	Nikko Enkianthus	White	May-June	9	
Exochorda giraldi wilsoni	Wilson Pearlbush	White	May-June	5-6	Rare
Forsythia intermedia primulina	Primrose Forsythia	Deep yellow	April	4-6	Very hardy
Forsythia ovata	Korean Forsythia	Yellow	April	4-6	Earliest to bloom, very hardy
Fothergilla gardeni	Dwarf Fothergilla	White	April-May	2-3	Rare
Fothergilla monticola	Alabama Fothergilla	White	April-May	6-8	Large flower spikes
Hamamelis japonica	Japanese Witch-hazel	Yellow	Feb.-March	10	Very hardy
Hamamelis mollis	Chinese Witch-hazel	Yellow	Jan.-March	6-8	Handsome in flower
Hamamelis vernalis	Vernal Witch-hazel	Bright yellow	Jan.-March	4-6	Flowers fragrant
Hydrangea bretschneiden	Shaggy Hydrangea	White	August	6-8	Shaggy brown bark
Hydrangea quercifolia	Oakleaf Hydrangea	White	August	8	Good native species
Hydrangea radiata	Silverleaf Hydrangea	White	August	4	Silvery under-surfaced leaves
Hypericum bucklei	Mountain St. Johnswort	Yellow	June-July	½-1	Good for rockeries
Indigofera kirilowi	Kirilow Indigo	Rose	June	2-4	
Kolkwitzia amabilis	Beautybush	Pink	June	4-6	Very beautiful shrub
Lespedeza bicolor	Shrub Bushclover	Purple	Aug.-Sept.	4-6	Choice
Leucothoe racemosa	Sweetbells	White	April-June	3-4	
Leucothoe recurva	Redtwig Leucothoe	White	April-June	4-5	
Lonicera chrysantha	Coralline Honeysuckle	Yellowish	May-June	4-5	
Lonicera maximowiczi sachalinensis		Purple	June	10	New introduction
Lonicera syringantha	Lilac Honeysuckle	Pink	May-June	5-6	Fragrant flowers
Lonicera trichosantha	Slender Honeysuckle	Red	June	6	Recent introduction
Malus hopa	Hopa Redflowering Crab	Rose	May	12	Very hardy

Scientific Name	Common Name	Color	Season	Approximate Height in Feet	Remarks
Malus eleyi	Eleyi Flowering Crab	Pink	May	15	New
Malus sargenti	Sargent Crab	White	Late May	6	Very spreading
Malus theifera	Tea Crab	Rose-red buds Pale flowers	May	20	
Philadelphus virginal		White	June	5-6	Excellent
Prunus besseyi	Bessey Cherry	White	May	4-6	Sweet fruit
Prunus maritima	Beach Plum	White	May-June	3-4	Makes good jam and jelly
Prunus tomentosa	Nanking Cherry	Pinkish white	March-April	10	Excellent for jams, preserves and wines
Prunus triloba plena	Doubleflowering Plum	Double pink	May	6-7	
Robinia kelseyi	Kelsey Locust	Rose	May-June	3-4	Kelsey introduction
Rosa rouletti		Pink	Summer	6-8	Charming midget rose
Rosa rugosa alba	White Rugosa Rose	White	May-Sept.	6	
Spiræa trichocarpa		White	June-July	4-6	
Syringa amurensis	Manchurian Lilac	Yellowish white	June-July	6-7	
Syringa chinensis	Chinese Lilac	Purple-lilac	May	8-10	
Syringa japonica	Japanese Tree Lilac	White	June-July	18-20	
Syringa josikæa	Hungarian Lilac	Pale violet	June-July	10-12	
Syringa oblata dilatata		Light pink	May	2-6	Foliage turns red in Fall
Syringa persica	Persian Lilac	Pale lilac	May	8-10	
Syringa villosa	Late Lilac	Pink	May-June	8-10	
Tripterygium regeli		White	June-August	6-8	Large leaves
Vaccinium stamineum	Deerberry	White	May-June	3	Very attractive and rare
Viburnum carlesi	Fragrant Viburnum	Soft pink	April-May	4-5	Fragrant
Viburnum sargenti	Sargent Cranberrybush	White	June	8-10	Rare
Viburnum wrighti	Wright Viburnum	White	May-June	4-8	

UNUSUAL BERRY-BEARING SHRUBS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Color of Fruit	Average Height in Feet	Remarks
Amelanchier lævis	Allegheny Shadblow	Maroon-purple	18-20	Finest of all the Shadblows
Aronia arbutifolia	Red Chokeberry	Bright red	3-4	Leaves turn red in Fall
Aronia atropurpurea	Purple Chokeberry	Red-purple	4-5	
Berberis vernæ	Verna Barberry	Red	5	Varying leaf size
Cornus alternifolia	Pagoda Dogwood	Bluish black	10-12	Branches in tiers
Cornus amomum	Silky Dogwood	Bluish	6-8	Purple twigs
Cornus florida	Flowering Dogwood	Scarlet	10-12	
Cornus paniculata	Gray Dogwood	White	6-8	
Cotoneaster acutifolia	Peking Cotoneaster	Black	6-8	
Cotoneaster apiculata		Scarlet	4-5	
Cotoneaster divaricata	Spreading Cotoneaster	Bright red	6	
Cotoneaster horizontalis	Rock Cotoneaster	Red	2-3	Evergreen
Cotoneaster lucida		Purplish black	6-10	
Cotoneaster microphylla	Rockspray	Scarlet	3	
Euonymus compacta	Compact Winged Euonymus	Red	3	
Euonymus planipes		Red	7-8	Handsome fruit
Ilex glabra	Inkberry	Black		Evergreen
Ilex monticola	Mountain Winterberry	Brilliant scarlet	8-10	
Ilex serrata	Finetooth Holly	Scarlet	15	
Ilex verticillata	Common Winterberry	Bright red	4-6	
Lonicera chrysantha	Coralline Honeysuckle	Yellowish	4-5	
Lonicera syringantha	Lilac Honeysuckle	Red	6-8	
Lonicera trichosantha	Slender Honeysuckle	Bright red	5-6	
Photinia villosa		Bright red	5-6	Leaves turn red in Fall
Prunus tomentosa	Nanking Cherry	Yellow	5	Excellent for jams and preserves
Symphoricarpos chenaulti	Snowberry	Red and white speckled	3-4	
Vaccinium stamineum		Green	3	Very attractive and rare
Virburnum sargenti		Scarlet	8-10	Rare species
Viburnum wrighti		Brilliant red	4-6	Leaves crimson in Fall

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Secretary, Mrs. Alexander Perry, 66 School St., Woburn.

MR. EGBERT HANS

Awarded the Society's gold medal. Mr. Hans, an artist of unusual skill as well as an expert landscape artist, painted all the scenery used in Grand Hall at the Spring exhibition in 1937 and did much to make the show the success it proved to be.

EXHIBITS

at the

Spring Flower Show

held at

MECHANICS BUILDING

March 12-18, 1937

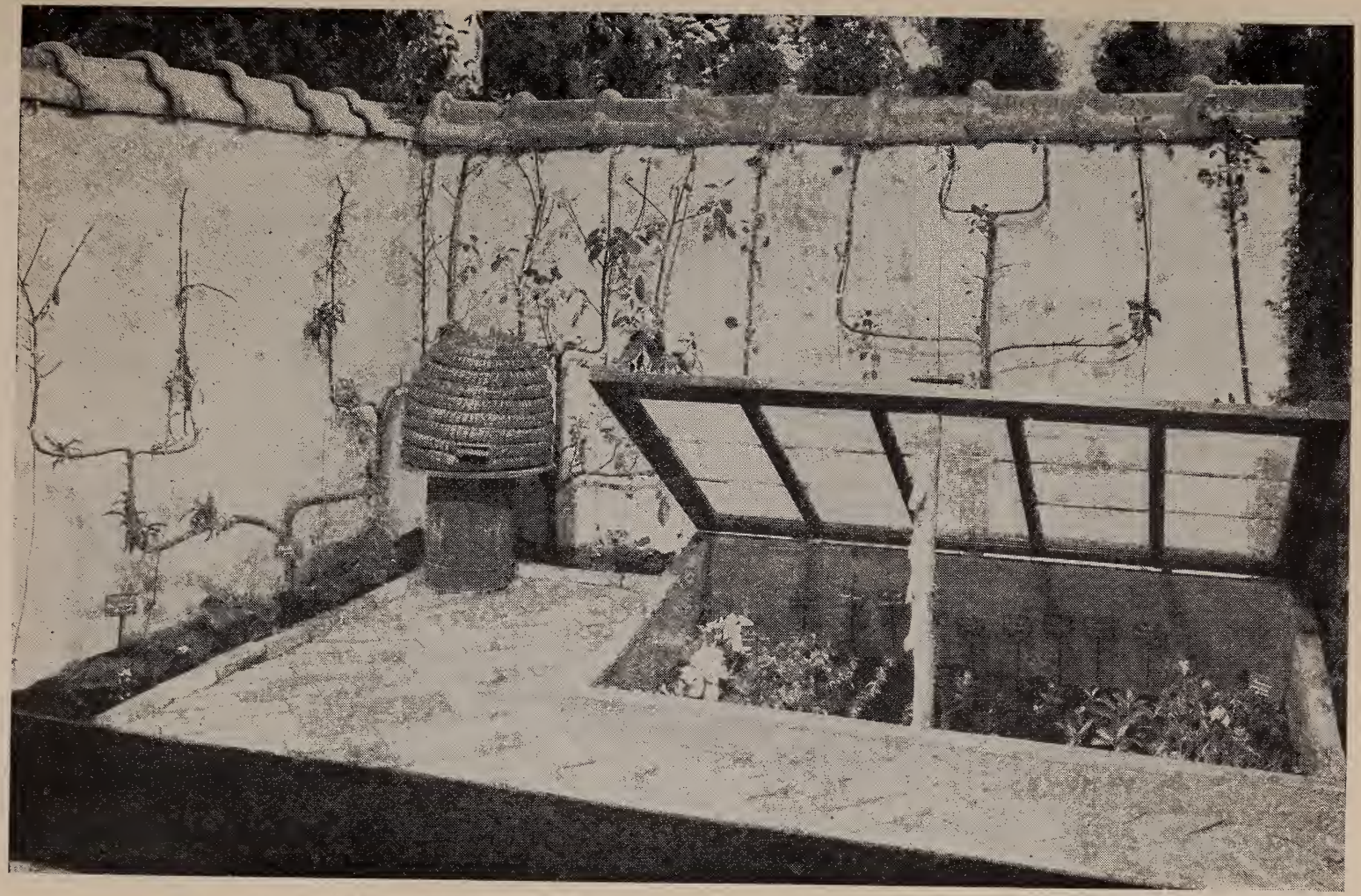
A section of Grand Hall showing the canal and windmill which helped to give character to the Holland scenes at the Spring exhibition

The gold medal exhibit of Mrs. Maurice J. Curran of North Andover, Raymond Smith, gardener, which was a part of the Holland scene in Grand Hall at the Spring exhibition

The orchid exhibit of L. Sherman Adams of Wellesley which won the medal of The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society for the exhibit showing the best culture

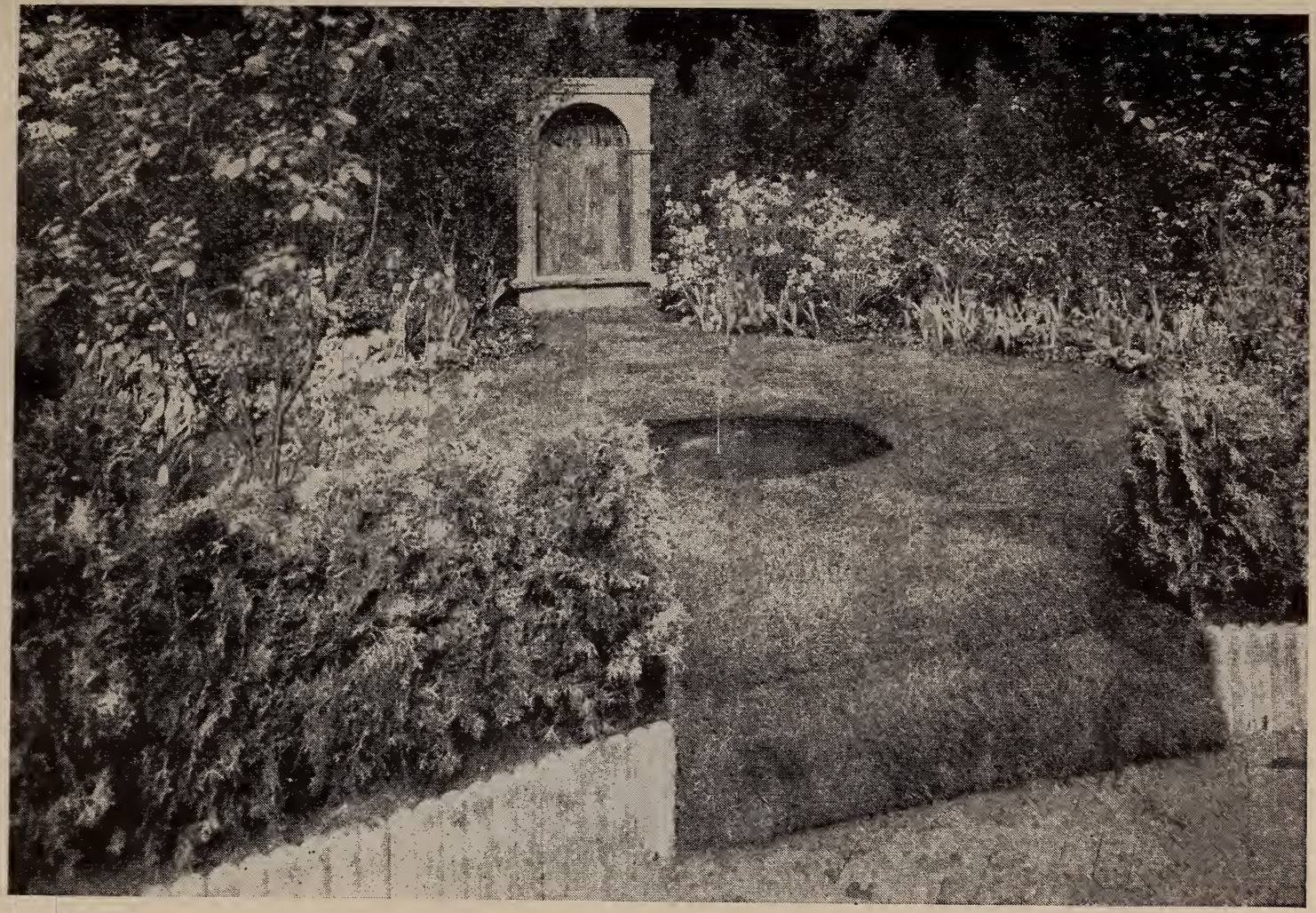
A woodland scene set up by Alexander Irving Heimlich of Winchester at the Spring flower show. It was awarded a gold medal.

The unusual exhibit of the Massachusetts Audubon Society, showing a bird sanctuary in Cohasset. It was awarded a silver medal.



The exhibit of the Cohasset Garden Club in the garden club section at the Spring show

The exhibit of the Cape Ann Garden Club, which won the gold medal of the Horticultural Society of New York at the 1937 Spring show



The Chestnut Hill Garden Club's exhibit at the Spring Show which was awarded the blue ribbon of the National Council of State Garden Clubs

EXHIBITIONS

IN 1937

MECHANICS BUILDING

March 12-18. Spring Exhibition.

HORTICULTURAL HALL

April 29 and 30. Daffodil and Tulip Show.

June 15 and 16. June Exhibition.
Tuesday, 2 to 9 P.M.
Wednesday, 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.

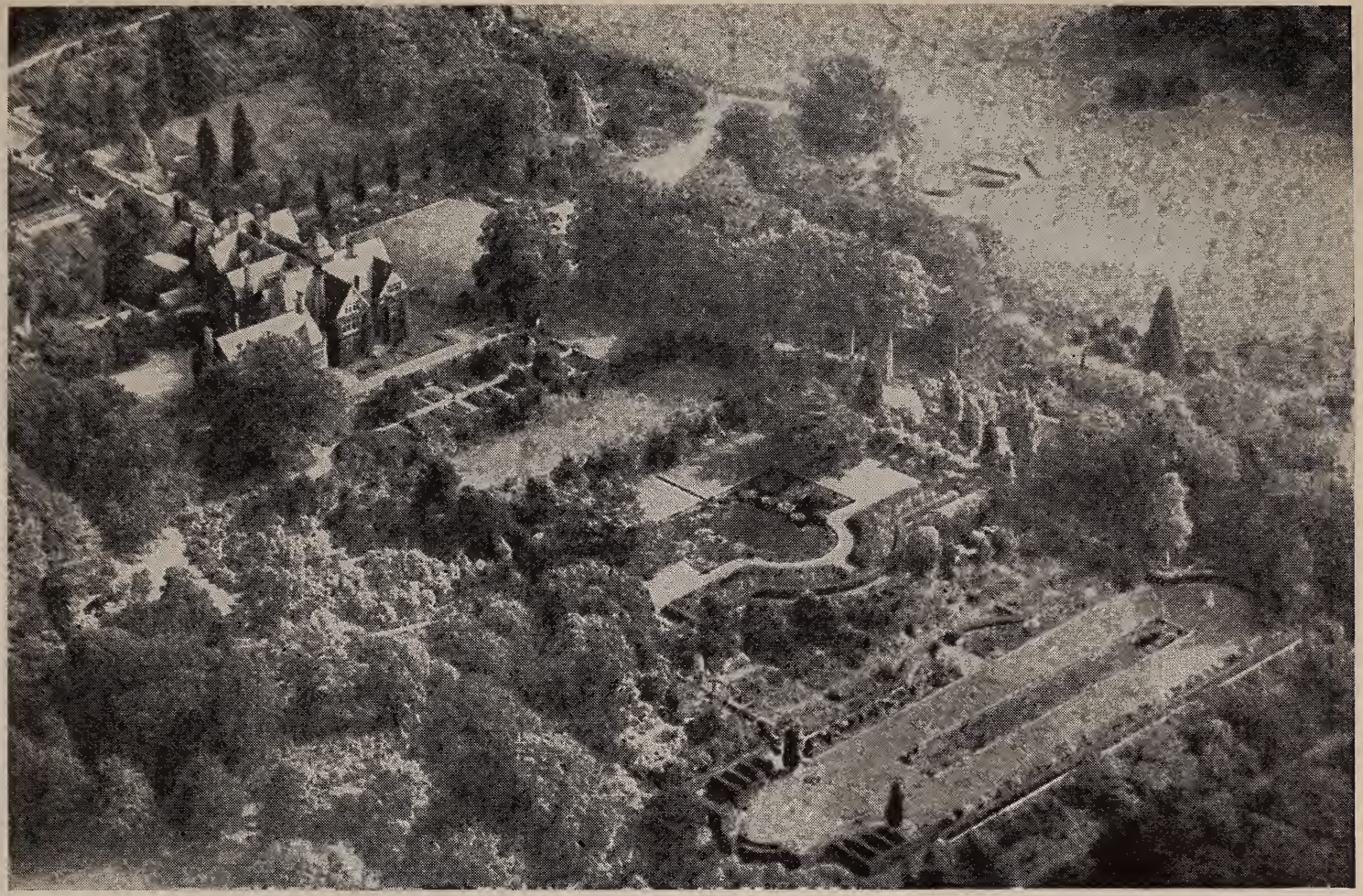
August 18 and 19. Gladiolus Exhibition. New England Gladiolus Society.
Wednesday, 2 to 9 P.M.
Thursday, 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.

August 26 and 27. Exhibition of the Products of Children's Gardens.
Thursday and Friday, 1 to 6 P.M.

September 11 and 12. Dahlia Exhibition. Dahlia Society of New England.
Saturday, 2 to 9 P.M.
Sunday, 1 to 9 P. M.

October 5-7. Fruit, Flower and Vegetable Exhibition.
Tuesday, 2 to 9 P.M.
Wednesday and Thursday, 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.

November 9-11. Autumn Exhibition.
Tuesday, 2 to 10 P.M.
Wednesday, 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.
Thursday, 1 to 10 P.M.



An airplane view of Lord Aberconway's estate, Bodnant, in North Wales, England

The porch added to the residence of Mrs. Charles S. Jenney in Brookline in 1936, for which she was awarded the Society's gold medal from the Albert C. Burrage Porch Fund

Library Accessions

New books added to the library during the year 1936 include the following:

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At the annual meeting of the American Orchid Society, which was held at Horticultural Hall, October 7, 8 and 9, 1936, Thomas Roland, Inc., of Nahant contributed a large number of ornamental plants which were used for decorating the hall. At the end of the show, some of these plants were donated to the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, which retained the following for use in the entrance hall, where they produce a very decorative effect: three *Phoenix roebelini* and two *Areca lutescens*. Those not used in this way were disposed of through the Benevolent Fraternity Fruit and Flower Mission, which has its headquarters in Horticultural Hall. The Secretary, Mrs. Lewis Elliott, reports that two dracaenas and a large palm went to the School for Crippled Children. A fig tree was sent to the Barnard Home for Aged in Hyde Park. Two rubber plants were found very acceptable by the Bulfinch Place Chapel Center, while another rubber plant went to the North Bennett Street Industrial School.

Later, Mr. Wilfrid Wheeler added to the collection in the hall by donating a large specimen of *Rhapis excelsa.*

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A collection of nursery catalogues.

Benedict, L. P.

Rainbow fragments: a garden book of the iris with illustrations in full color, by J. Marion Shull. 1931.

Billings, Mrs. Edgar F.

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Williams, Mrs. Francis.
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Benevolent Fraternity Fruit and Flower Mission

For 68 years the Benevolent Fraternity Fruit and Flower Mission—the oldest organization of its kind—has endeavored to provide the opportunity for people to share their flowers, fruits, vegetables and "goodies" with the sick and lonely who gain increased courage to face their lot through the knowledge that somebody cares.

In acknowledging our indebtedness to the Trustees of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society during the twelfth year that our headquarters have been established at Horticultural Hall, we desire to express grateful appreciation for the co-operation that has made possible the enlarged work of the Fruit and Flower Mission, especially the friendly interest of Mr. Farrington.

Returns from the use of the large hall for the benefit lecture of Miss Marian Roby Case on "Portugal" enabled us to meet our annual budget.

In spite of the extremely dry period of the early Summer, the highest total of filled hampers and baskets—718 from 31 towns—was received during the 1936 hamper season, 27 being sent from Duxbury alone on its closing day.

A report from one of our centers told of a boy of fourteen who had to have treatment at a clinic and was completely unmanageable, causing such a commotion that they had to let him run away, until one day he saw the Flower Mission bouquet in the waiting room. He said he liked flowers and was told he might have some if he would go in quietly for treatment. They never had any more trouble with him.

At the eighty-ninth Old Ladies' Party, held annually at the Bulfinch Place Chapel Center, 160 elderly people from the homes around Boston received a bouquet from the Flower Mission.

Three hundred and twelve gaily trimmed Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter baskets carried cheer to many individuals.

Our loyal and dependable corps of volunteers, including the cheerful and courteous railroad men, contribute largely to the success of the work.

EMILY I. ELLIOTT, *Executive Secretary.*

The exhibit set up by Mr. S. Z. Mitchell of Oyster Bay at the 1936 Autumn exhibition of the Horticultural Society of New York, to which the gold medal of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society was awarded as a sweepstakes prize

Necrology

The following is a list of the members of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society whose deaths were reported during the year 1936:

Mrs. Bessie F. Adams
Mr. A. Barry Bacon
Miss Bertha R. Batson
Mr. Frank B. Bemis
Mr. Hallie C. Blake
Mr. Royal T. Brodrick
Mrs. Frank Chouteau Brown
Mrs. George H. Chandler
Mr. John Carroll Chase
Miss Susan W. Child
Mrs. Eugene H. Clapp
Mr. Robert P. Clapp
Mr. James D. Colt
Miss Kate E. Coney
Mr. John A. Cook
Mr. George D. Detlefsen
Mrs. John Dickinson
Mrs. Louis S. Drake
Mrs. Fred Drew
Mrs. Lyman K. Eddy
Mrs. Alcott F. Elwell
Mr. William C. Endicott
Mr. George J. Ferreira
Mrs. Loring Fowler
Mr. Willard A. Frost
Mr. George L. Gilmore
Mrs. F. W. Gowell
Mr. Edward Howland Robinson Green
Mr. Oscar W. Grover
Miss Ellen R. Hathaway
Mr. Theodore A. Havemeyer
Mrs. George H. Hitchcock
Mrs. Charles H. Hood
Mrs. Sara R. Horovitz
Mr. John F. Howe
Professor Marshall A. Howe
Dr. Edward D. Hurley
Mr. James E. Kelley
Mr. Harry W. Knights
Mr. Thomas P. Lennox
Mr. Sylvester A. Lyons
Mrs. W. H. McGaw
Mr. Michael J. McGuire
Mrs. W. L. McKee
Mrs. Robert L. Middleton
Mr. Arthur N. Milliken
Mrs. Maria C. Molla
Count Carl Moltke
Mr. Arthur K. Moore
Mrs. C. O. Nelson
Mrs. Fred Nichols
Mrs. John L. Norris
Mr. Arthur A. Osborne
Mr. Frederick W. Paine
Mr. Frederic E. Palmer
Mrs. J. A. P. Patch
Miss H. Elisabeth Perkins
Miss Alice B. Poor
Mr. Howard Willis Preston
Mr. John Pritchard
Mr. Isaac A. Racz
Mrs. F. W. Remick
Mrs. Charles M. Rogerson
Mr. David J. Scott
Mr. Llewellyn D. Seaver
Mrs. Frederick H. Smith
Mrs. David B. Studley
Mrs. James M. Swift
Mr. John H. Temple
Mrs. F. L. Thomas
Mrs. Artemas L. Tyler
Miss Lucia C. Warren
Mr. Robert Watson
Mrs. Josie K. Webb
Mr. Harry E. Wellington
Miss Ellen Willmott
Mr. George S. Wright
Mrs. James Hayden Wright
Mrs. George H. Young

The bulb garden of Mrs. F. F. Brewster of Dublin, N. H,. which was awarded the Albert C. Burrage $1000 gold cup at the close of the year 1936 as being the most outstanding exhibit at any of the Society's exhibitions in the course of the year

MASSACHUSETTS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

REPORTS

OF THE

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

PRESENTED AT THE
ANNUAL MEETING MAY 3, 1937

WITH A LIST OF MEMBERS
ADMITTED IN 1936

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S CUP

The Massachusetts Horticultural Society was greatly honored at the time of the 1937 Spring show by being presented a magnificent, gold-lined silver cup, to be awarded to the amateur exhibit showing the greatest skill in culture and arrangement. This cup, which is a fine old English piece, was won by the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum of Boston with a rare and unusual collection of Jasminum nudiflorum.

Annual Meeting, 1937

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society was held in Horticultural Hall at 3 P.M. on Monday, May 3, being preceded by a lecture by the Secretary in which he reviewed the activities of the previous year, illustrating his talk with lantern slides.

The President, Mr. Edwin S. Webster, presided. Following the reading of the call for the meeting and the minutes of the previous meeting by the Secretary, the President made his address. The Secretary, the Treasurer and the chairmen of the various committees then made their reports, all of which are appended.

The President's Address

It is the President's duty—and his privilege—to bring a message to the members of this Society at each annual meeting. It is in my mind today to say something about the relation of the Society to the community which it serves. I say "serves" deliberately, for to me service is the chief function of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society. It was on the basis of service that the Society was organized 107 years ago. Service has been its watchword throughout its long existence and explains, I believe, why it is—with one exception—the oldest organization of the kind in America. It has had its poor years and its good years, according to the times, and in some measure, no doubt, to the vision and activity of those in office.

Many of the flowers, vegetables, and fruits now in common cultivation were not known when this Society was formed. Most new varieties have been shown here as fast as they have been introduced, and it has been the policy of this Society to present them to the public for inspection. The Library has grown from 300 volumes to 25,000, and the knowledge contained in these books is available to all who seek it.

The Society's income is used wholly to increase its facilities, and its opportunities for serving the gardening public. The Society has repeatedly opened its halls to other organizations which are working along similar—although narrower—lines. It has opened them, too, for charitable purposes. It has sought through its committees and paid employees to give the public what it desires in the way of exhibitions, lectures and classes. It is publishing and distributing at cost the outstanding horti-

cultural magazine of this country—being, indeed, the only organization of this character in all the world to engage in such an enterprise.

Anyone interested in horticultural matters is welcome at Horticultural Hall. If the secretary has one outstanding characteristic, it is his desire to be absolutely fair, impartial, and unbiased in his treatment of members and visitors alike. This attitude, indeed, prevails throughout the organization. It is a matter of comment that visitors to the Library, and to the various offices are invariably treated with courtesy and consideration—no matter whether they be estate owners or the humblest of employees. The Society maintains an employment bureau for the assistance of gardeners seeking positions. No charge is made for the help given them.

The members of this Society have greater facilities at their command than those of any similar organization in this country—yet they pay a lower fee than that charged by any other large horticultural organization.

It is the purpose of this Society to serve both commercial and amateur interests. In recent years, the development of national and state bureaus has lessened the demands from commercial men, but the rapidly increasing interest in horticulture which has marked the last decade, and which is being materially helped through the extremely efficient work of the garden clubs, has greatly increased the demands of amateurs.

The Society has tried to adjust itself to changing conditions. It has changed the types and dates of its shows to keep abreast of the times. It has made possible the holding of classes and lectures on special subjects. It has had a very important part in the development of school gardens, and each year it puts on a school garden exhibition which is not equalled anywhere else in the country. It works co-operatively with the 4-H clubs, and the various state and county institutions, and with schools like the Jamaica Plain High School.

Through its affiliation with the Benevolent Fraternity Fruit and Flower Mission—housed in this building—it helps to bring comfort and cheer to hundreds of hospital patients and shut-ins through the distribution of flowers and fruit—a noble work about which little is heard.

I could continue for a long time merely enumerating the activities of this Society—many of which, I fear, are wholly

unknown to most of our members. I promised, however, that the reports at this meeting would be short. Brevity must govern my remarks, too. I will say little more, therefore, except to reiterate the fact that this organization is conducted with high purpose, and with altruistic motives. It meets its expenses by careful attention to economy, and the use of business methods. No one receives, or expects to receive, a profit from its operations. Some of us give many hours of time and thought to the management of the Society, because of our interest in its work, and our pride in its success. Its expansion from a membership of less than 1,000 members twelve years ago, to almost 9,000 at the present time, leads us to hope for continued growth, and to anticipate the time when the Society can extend its activities to the western part of the state—perhaps with a branch there which shall help to make it what it was designed by its founders to be — a state-wide organization.

EDWIN S. WEBSTER, *President.*

Report of the Secretary

Doubtless, Lord Aberconway's visit to Boston was the highlight of the past year. As president of the Royal Horticultural Society, Lord Aberconway has world-wide prestige, but he is a notable figure apart from that fact. His estate is one of the finest in the British Isles, and his knowledge of plants is astonishing. Although Lord Aberconway visited all three of the big shows, he came to this country on the invitation of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, and it was through this society that all the preliminary arrangements were made. It should be said in this connection that Mr. William H. Judd of the Arnold Arboretum, who is a personal friend of Lord Aberconway, made the original suggestion to his lordship, and much of the credit for this visit, the first official visit of the kind to be made in the history of any of the three societies, is due him.

Lord Aberconway was much impressed with all the shows and expressed his surprise at the fact that salesmen with pencils and pads were not to be found at each exhibit. He said that that was the sort of thing which prevailed in England. That is one feature which we are not likely to adopt.

Another innovation came at the time of the Spring show, when a dinner for the members of the society was held in Horticultural Hall, the first dinner of the kind for fifty years. This dinner was so successful that it probably will be repeated. It should prove to be one occasion in the year when the members of the society can get together for a social evening.

This year's dinner offered an excellent opportunity for the presentation of the President's Cup, which was won at the show by Thomas Roland, Inc., of Nahant and was accepted by Robert H. Roland, whose exhibit of acacias added much to the beauty of the show. Another interesting event at the dinner was the presentation to Mr. Webster, as president of the society, of a medal from the Holland Bulb Exporters Association, this presentation being made by John Scheepers of New York. It was given for the Society's efforts in the promotion of interest in bulbs and bulb culture.

The year has been rather uneventful as a whole, but there has been a constant increase in the number of members in spite of many losses from various sources, including 79 by death. The total membership on the first of May, 1936, was 8,600, and 8,952 on the first of May of this year. The membership has hovered around the 9,000 mark for several months, and the secretary hopes that the total will reach 9,500 by the end of this year. It seems apparent that the society can sustain a membership of about 10,000 with its present facilities and staff.

As it is, however, there is a constant pressure for additional room, because of the desire on the part of various organizations to use this building for lectures, classes and meetings. The Trustees have now voted to construct an additional room on the third floor, and this room will be available within a few months. It is expected that the elevator will also be extended to the third floor.

The large amount of equipment required for the exhibitions makes it necessary to have extensive storage facilities. Those originally planned have been outgrown, and many changes have been made in what are commonly called the catacombs, meaning the cellar space under the Massachusetts Avenue side of the building. The removal of many pipes, the cutting away of one wall and the lowering of the freight elevator has made it

A gold medal was awarded to Mrs. Francis B. Crowninshield of Marblehead at the June show in 1936 for this display of outdoor-grown sweet peas

possible to store many tons of rocks and large amounts of peat moss, as well as tables, horses and vases under the smaller Exhibition Hall. A well-equipped work and paint shop may also be found in this part of the building. These improvements will be shown with pleasure to members who are willing to duck their heads in order to reach the cellar through the very low apertures which the architects provided. There are many reasons to believe that those who designed this building never dreamed that the society would assume its present proportions or that the number of its activities would increase to such a point as to tax the building's capacity.

Getting rid of the pigeons and starlings, thousands of which have infested the building in past years, was a problem which the building committee finally solved by having the various roosting places painted over with a substance too sticky to be comfortable, although this object was not obtained without a certain amount of newspaper notoriety.

As usual, the society has co-operated with the state in putting on educational lectures—a series on landscape gardening and one on flower arrangement. As usual, too, the garden clubs have made the hall the center of their activities and various other organizations have held their meetings here. The Boston Mycological Club and the Herb Society of America now have headquarters on the third floor.

Thousands of flowers have been sent to sick persons and shut-ins by the Benevolent Fraternity Fruit and Flower Mission, the quarters of which are often heaped with flowers after a large funeral. Perhaps sufficient credit is not given to the women who come here on such occasions, pull down the formal pieces, take out the wires and make up the flowers into bouquets which look as though they had just come from the greenhouse. It is an art to make up a typical funeral piece; it is almost as much of an art to take it apart.

Late in the year, Thomas Roland, Inc., gave the Society a number of large palms and other plants, some of which were distributed to various institutions, while others were retained for use in this building. They are to be seen in the entrance hall, where they create a highly decorative effect.

An important vote of the Trustees late in the year was to the effect that first-class certificates shall be given only to

plants which have already received an award of merit. This is a matter which judges will need to keep in mind at future shows.

Another important vote of the Trustees was one favoring the encouragement of wild-flower propagation by nurserymen and planning for awards to stimulate this work. It was felt that this was one of the best ways to aid in the preservation of wild plants in their native habitats.

EDWARD I. FARRINGTON, *Secretary.*

Report of the Treasurer

STATEMENT OF THE SOCIETY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 1936

ASSETS

Cash in banks and on hand		$ 27,087.10
Treasurer	$23,195.71	
Bursar: In bank	2,469.00	
On hand	10.00	
Savings bank deposits	1,412.39	
	$27,087.10	
Investments—Valued at cost		539,607.63
Capital Assets		588,603.47
Real estate	$498,564.63	
Improvements and additions to building	24,982.36	
Library	46,580.47	
Furniture and exhibition ware	9,808.21	
Massachusetts Horticultural Society History	6,140.38	
Lantern slides	2,527.42	
	$588,603.47	
Deferred Charges: Spring Show 1937		4,295.83
		$1,159,594.03

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL FUNDS

Liabilities Accounts Payable			$ 19.92
Sundry Funds			444,180.41
Special uses: Principal	$156,913.73		
Unexpended income	8,723.38		
		$165,637.11	
General uses: Principal		278,543.30	
		$444,180.41	

Prizes not distributed			$ 38.00
Life membership fees			21,894.00
Mount Auburn Cemetery Fund			51,163.47
Library Cataloging Fund			1,000.00
Capital			564,524.70
Surplus (Capital)			46,789.57
Balance, January 1, 1936		$43,053.45	
Add: Gain on sales of securities		3,736.12	
		$46,789.57	
Surplus (Earned)			$29,983.96
Balance, January 1, 1936		$37,624.75	
Add: Received on 1935 shows and lectures		63.88	
		$37,688.63	
Deduct:			
To show fund principal	$3,000.00		
To library cataloging fund	1,000.00		
To furniture and exhibition ware	700.00		
To special repairs	2,932.09		
Excess of expenditures over income	72.58		
		7,704.67	
		$29,983.96	
			$1,159,594.03

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURES

Income	*Year Ended December 31, 1936*		*Year Ended December 31, 1935*	
Income from investments and bank interest (less proportion allocated to restricted funds)	$26,515.37		$21,991.01	
Membership fees	15,453.00		15,031.00	
Rentals	3,902.42		4,860.20	
Spring Show: 1936	10,300.59		.....	
1935	.....		20,833.95	
Autumn Show: 1935	.....		684.52	
Incidentals	171.18		137.72	
Sundry donations	100.00		153.00	
Lantern slides—income	53.50		72.20	
Transferred from Show Fund	2,800.00		.....	
		$59,296.06		$63,763.60
Add: *Horticulture* income		163.14		558.63
		$59,459.20		$64,322.23

The exhibit of peonies set up by the Cherry Hill Nurseries of West Newbury was awarded a gold medal at the June show in 1936

EXPENDITURE				
Operating Expenses:				
Building expenses	$17,717.09		$16,987.21	
Library appropriations	1,491.81		1,755.87	
Library expenses	4,729.22		4,055.12	
Office and general expense	29,406.06		28,555.10	
Misc. exhibition expense	3,776.49		4,134.70	
		$57,120.67		$55,488.00
Awards and Lectures:				
Lectures	$ 389.30		$ 54.91	
Medals and certificates	671.05		238.60	
Prizes in excess of funds	1,350.76		.....	
		2,411.11		293.51
		$59,531.78		$55,781.51
Excess of Expenditures Over Income—				
Transfer to Surplus Earned		$72.58		

INVESTMENTS AT DECEMBER 31, 1936

BONDS

		Rate %	*Maturity Date*	*Cost Value*
$15,000	Alabama Power Company	5	1951	$14,999.73
5,000	American European Securities Co.	5	1958	5,000.00
15,000	American Gas and Electric Co.	5	2028	14.270.76
20,000	American Telephone and Telegraph Co.	5	1965	20,106.94
15,000	Anaconda Copper Mining Co.	4½	1950	14,943.75
15,000	Atlantic Coast Line Railroad	4	1952	14,608.11
15,000	Central Pacific Ry. Co. Through Short Line	4	1954	14,943.75
15,000	Columbus Electric and Power Co.	5	1954	14,700.00
15,000	Commonwealth Subsidiary Corp.	5½	1948	15,665.20
15,000	Eastern Gas and Fuel Associates	4	1956	14,475.00
15,000	Georgia Power Company	5	1967	14,550.00
15,000	Houston Gulf Gas Co.	6	1943	15,672.58
10,000	International Match Co.	5	1941	4,661.25
15,000	Louisville and Nashville R. R.	4	1940	16,151.86
15,000	New York Power and Light Co.	4½	1967	14,197.00
5,000	North American Edison Co. "C"	5	1969	4,775.00
15,000	North American Edison Co.	5½	1963	12,789.84
15,000	Oklahoma Natural Gas Conv. deb.	5	1946	15,000.00
15,000	Penn-Ohio Edison Co.	6	1950	12,113.91
14,000	Potomac Edison Co.	5	1956	12,222.22
20,000	Puget Sound Power and Light Co.	5½	1949	17,445.00
9,000	Pure Oil Co.	4¼	1950	9,909.13
15,000	Railway and Light Securities 11th Series	4¼	1955	15,000.00
8,000	Shell Union Oil Corp.	3½	1951	7,920.00

15,000	Scoville Manufacturing Co.	5½	1945	$15,525.00
15,000	Shawinigan Water Power Co.	4½	1968	14,775.00
15,000	Union Pacific R. R. Co.	4	1947	13,650.00
10,000	Washington Water Power Co.	5	1960	9,418.75
	Total			$369,489.78

STOCKS

Shares		
50	American Can Co.	$ 5,650.91
100	American Telephone and Telegraph Co.	14,766.96
100	American Tobacco "B"	10,200.23
200	Buffalo, Niagara and Eastern Power Co. Pfd.	4,150.00
150	Commercial Credit Corp. 4¼% Conv. Pfd.	16,774.53
26	Commercial Credit Corp. Common	
265 136/600	Electric Bond and Share Co.	13,489.83
2,192	General Electric Co. Common	
100	First National Bank of Boston	5,025.00
30	Fisk Rubber Co. Pfd.	8,011.82
500	National Power and Light Co. $6 Pfd.	50,750.00
160	North American Co. $3 Pfd.	6,871.50
100	Northern States Power Co. 7% Pfd.	7,548.75
365 2/6	Radio Corporation of American Common	.....
400	Tampa Electric Co. Common	14,218.32
200	United Fruit Co.	12,660.00
		$170,117.85

SUMMARY

Bonds	$369,489.78
Stocks	170,117.85
Total	$539,607.63

SUNDRY FUNDS

INCOME TO BE USED FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES

		Unexpended	
	Total	*Income*	*Principal*
Samuel Appleton Fund	$ 1,000.00		$ 1,000.00
Josiah Bradley Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00
Albert Cameron Burrage—Library	34,289.13	$4,289.13	30,000.00
Albert Cameron Burrage—Show	20,792.00	792.00	20,000.00
Albert Cameron Burrage	1,438.87	188.87	1,250.00
John C. Chaffin Fund	1,048.89	48.89	1,000.00
William N. Craig Fund	2,523.40	23.40	2,500.00
Benjamin H. Davis Fund	500.00		500.00
Jackson Dawson Memorial Fund	3,412.86	185.86	3,227.00

John S. Farlow Fund	$ 2,512.18	$ 12.18	$ 2,500.00
John S. Farlow Fund—Newton Horticultural Society	2,900.42		2,900.42
Benjamin V. French Fund No. 1	500.00		500.00
Benjamin V. French Fund No. 2	3,000.00		3,000.00
John Allen French Fund	5,000.61	.61	5,000.00
John D. Williams French Fund	11,693.65	11.77	11,681.88
Henry A. Gane Memorial Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00
H. H. Hunnewell Fund No. 1	793.00	293.00	500.00
H. H. Hunnewell Fund No. 2	2,052.50	52.50	2,000.00
H. H. Hunnewell Fund No. 3	1,500.00		1,500.00
John A. Lowell Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00
Theodore Lyman Fund No. 1	1,000.00		1,000.00
Theodore Lyman Fund No. 2	10,000.00		10,000.00
Benjamin H. Pierce Fund	1,330.00	530.00	800.00
Thomas Roland Fund	3,539.71	539.71	3,000.00
John Lewis Russell Fund	1,380.98	380.98	1,000.00
Show Fund	35,200.00		35,200.00
William J. Walker Fund	2,354.89	.46	2,354.43
Levi Whitcomb Fund	500.00		500.00
George Robert White Fund	11,349.02	1,349.02	10,000.00
Marshall P. Wilder Fund	1,025.00	25.00	1,000.00
Total	$165,637.11	$8,723.38	$156,913.73

INCOME TO BE USED FOR GENERAL PURPOSES

Anonymous Funds	$ 1,000.00		$ 1,000.00
Albert Cameron Burrage Fund	1,200.00		1,200.00
John Chaney Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00
Helen Collamore Fund	5,000.00		5,000.00
Arthur F. Estabrook	49,100.00		49,100.00
Ida F. Estabrook	11,238.76		11,238.76
Caroline F. Freeman Fund	10,000.00		10,000.00
Francis Brown Hayes Bequest	189,904.54		189,904.54
Francis Brown Hayes Fund	10,000.00		10,000.00
Margaret Whitney Fund	100.00		100.00
Total	$278,543.30		$278,543.30

SPRING SHOWS, 1935 AND 1936

INCOME	*1936*	*1935*
Tickets:		
Regular admission	$39,747.25	$48,781.75
Trade tickets	3,317.25	3,408.25
Students' tickets	118.00	1,666.50
Members' tickets	8,112.95	8,001.18

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Water Protoplasm Life ⇒ Plant Life

Thallophytes (Sea weeds, etc.)	about	80,000 s
Bryophytes (Mosses, etc.)	"	16,000
Pteridophytes (Ferns, etc.)	"	4,500
Spermatophytes (Seed Plants)		
Gymnosperms	"	381
Angiosperms	"	135,000

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3. Dyes and Tanning Stuffs
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7. Timbers
8. Ornamental Plants (Aesthe

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January 8, 1936
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Gladioli shown by Bancroft Winsor of New Bedford at the Gladiolus show in August 1936. Mr. Winsor's daughter, Sylvia, is widely known as a successful gladiolus breeder.

Garden Club tickets	$6,274.00		$6,214.43	
Miscellaneous tickets	28.40		36.00	
		$57,597.85		$68,108.11
Programs		1,678.99		39.40
Flower booth		3,630.15		661.86
Checking		355.15		376.65
Restaurant		1,104.53		1,294.22
Trade space		9,642.70		8,620.31
Wheel Chairs		91.90		129.85
Peat and paper		498.74		657.12
Plant material sold		52.00		.....
Miscellaneous		2.75		5.74
Total		$74,654.76		$79,893.26
EXPENDITURES				
Carting	$ 66.25		$ 92.46	
Committee expense	219.05		184.20	
Committee fees	215.00		445.00	
Decorating	2,431.84		2,221.10	
Garden Club expenses	750.00		1,500.00	
Insurance	204.08		259.08	
Judges' expenses	718.29		400.17	
Labor	2,950.27		3,338.13	
Manager's salary	3,210.45		4,444.54	
Manager's expenses	98.92		78.49	
Music	385.00		230.00	
Plant material and forcing	1,396.25		1,539.22	
Police	400.00		600.00	
Postage, stationery, and supplies	926.36		1,222.16	
Printing	578.09		605.60	
Prizes	24,937.50		22,169.16	
Gardeners' awards	900.00		1,000.00	
Medals and certificates	661.66		730.14	
Publicity expense and commission	7,775.02		7,629.04	
Rentals	8,985.71		8,526.49	
Rubbish removal	360.00		530.00	
Telephone and telegraph	84.25		123.22	
Miscellaneous	1,090.87		1,015.51	
Flower booth expense	3,042.92		.....	
Program expense	1,877.29		.....	
Wheel chairs	89.10		175.60	
		64,354.17		59,059.31
Excess of Income over Expenditures— transferred to General Income		$10,300.59		$20,833.95

"HORTICULTURE"

	Year ended December 31, 1936		Year ended December 31, 1935	
INCOME				
Advertising	$28,373.26		$31,263.32	
Subscriptions	19,660.85		19,447.01	
Books	111.26		233.27	
"Gardening in New England"	2,043.97		1,851.67	
Miscellaneous	2,268.54		1,895.62	
		$52,457.88		$54,690.89
EXPENDITURE				
Printing	$21,609.75		$21,657.62	
Paper	9,168.12		9,666.85	
Cuts	2,752.17		3,324.39	
Wrappers	524.88		504.12	
Postage	4,025.70		4,292.64	
Books	63.38		249.43	
"Gardening in New England"	1,304.39		1,589.41	
Commissions and discounts	4,720.05		4,545.29	
Contributions	1,368.80		1,843.18	
Salaries	4,000.00		3,966.63	
Miscellaneous	2,757.50		2,492.70	
		52,294.74		54,132.26
Net Income		$163.14		$558.63

BUILDING EXPENSE

	Year ended December 31, 1936	Year ended December 31, 1935
Labor	$10,526.50	$10,363.00
Supplies	443.29	384.99
Heating	1,420.79	1,496.55
Lighting	1,698.87	1,626.50
Telephone	.....	.60
Repairs	1,278.94	1,899.46
Insurance	1,923.35	816.75
Incidentals	425.35	399.36
Total	$17,717.09	$16,987.21

LIBRARY APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

	Year ended December 31, 1936	Year ended December 31, 1935
Printing	$ 422.00	$ 31.83
Binding and repairs	914.69	1,204.13

Books and periodicals	$ 9.80	$146.99
Supplies	135.85	168.14
Postage	.....	14.90
Extra labor and salaries	.....	188.38
Incidentals	9.47	1.50
Total	$1,491.81	$1,755.87

LIBRARY EXPENSE ACCOUNT

	Year ended December 31, 1936	*Year ended December 31, 1935*
Salaries	$4,549.24	$3,860.00
Stationery and postage	91.48	97.17
Supplies	40.60	4.65
Printing	38.30	10.00
Insurance	9.60	9.60
Repairs	.....	68.00
Incidentals	.....	5.70
Total	$4,729.22	$4,055.12

OFFICE AND GENERAL EXPENSES

	Year ended December 31, 1936	*Year ended December 31, 1935*
Salaries	$15,163.20	$15,924.25
Stationery and postage	2,980.06	2,522.47
Printing	1,888.89	1,680.21
Supplies	530.06	495.56
Telephone and telegraph	723.22	628.82
Traveling	432.28	162.09
Subscriptions of members to *Horticulture*	6,403.32	6,057.47
Incidentals	1,237.58	1,038.26
Repairs	43.05	24.75
Binding	4.40	21.22
Total	$29,406.06	$28,555.10

MISCELLANEOUS EXHIBITION EXPENSE

	Year ended December 31, 1936	*Year ended December 31, 1935*
Salary	$2,062.98	$2,187.74
Stationery and postage	.....	40.26
Printing	636.82	473.31

Supplies	$115.91	$124.98
Advertising	125.00	50.00
Exhibition committee fees	355.00	520.00
Prize committee fees	95.00	165.00
Judges' expense	8.45	46.88
Traveling	231.02	344.66
Incidentals	146.31	181.87
Total	$3,776.49	$4,134.70

Report of the Committee on the Library

The two outstanding features of 1936 were the participation of the Library in the Society booth at the Spring Flower Show and a marked change in the type of use made of the library by its visitors.

For our first official appearance at the Spring Flower Show we arranged a small collection of new and useful garden books as a typical working library which proved attractive to passers-by and greatly aided the attendant in charge in answering their many and varied questions on gardening. The success of this venture in acquainting the public with the Society's library, its extensive resources and service has already warranted repetition.

The change in use of the Library itself the past year took the form of an increase in real study projects carried on by individuals for their own benefit. Months of intensive research among the sixteenth century books in the library, for instance, were necessary before the Old World bee garden could be erected with such authentic charm at the 1936 Flower Show.

The general reading has continued much as usual with a total circulation of 5,018 books. Although this is a slight drop from the 1935 figure, reports from all libraries indicate a similarly small, but general decrease in popular reading.

At the end of 1936 the library possessed 24,696 bound volumes and a large number of unbound pamphlets. Four hundred and twenty-eight volumes were added during the year by gift or purchase. In accordance with our usual custom the Year Book includes a list of the gifts and their donors, but we would like to mention here our gratitude for both the books and the interest which prompted their presentation.

A variety of exhibits in the show cases has attracted atten-

A thatched roof shelter and Japanese symbols made an effective setting for chrysanthemums in the garden set up by Mrs. Francis B. Crowninshield at the Autumn show in 1936.

tion. One of the most popular was a set of botanical charts by Miss Mabel P. Cook. It was rivalled in interest only by a collection of garden-club year books. Through the courtesy of one of our members, Mrs. W. S. H. Lothrop, we were able to show an interesting group of modern books on Japanese garden art.

At the request of the officials of the New England Gladiolus Society and the American Orchid Society we were glad to arrange book displays during the gladiolus and orchid shows. All year the bulletin board has borne attractive and informative arrangements of interesting pamphlets, jackets of new books, photographs by Miss Helen M. Murdoch, and various current items.

Opportunities to work with other groups have been too numerous to describe here. I may mention, however, the invitation of the National Shade Tree Association to send a small collection of books useful to tree wardens and foresters to their conference at the Hotel Statler. The Massachusetts Association for Occupational Therapy also asked us for the second time to contribute to their meeting a display of books helpful to their teachers.

During the year a change in the personnel of the Library Committee itself has occurred, admitting Mrs. S. V. R. Crosby and Mr. Charles K. Cummings upon the retirement of Mrs. Bayard Thayer and Mr. John S. Ames.

NATHANIEL T. KIDDER, *Chairman.*

Report of the Committee on Exhibitions

At this time each year the Exhibition Committee makes a report on the flower shows of the year, and each year the chairman prepares his report in collaboration with his co-members for the purpose of recording the successes and failures of the preceding twelve months period. This is the fourth successive year in which, as chairman of the Exhibition Committee, I have come before you, and now, having retired from this office, I am going to depart from custom and begin, rather than end, my report by paying richly deserved tribute to those who have worked with me.

Without the loyal support that I have received from the members of each successive Exhibition Committee over which I have presided, the four-year record would be, I am sure,

a very different one. To Mr. Webster, our beloved president, and to Mr. Farrington, our ever-patient and able secretary, I offer my heartfelt thanks for all the time and all the good counsel that have been given whenever either was asked for. To Mr. Nehrling, our peerless show manager, I cannot do better than to say, "Well done, good and faithful servant," for since Mr. Nehrling came into the service of our Society, four years ago, he has more than measured up to the reputation he came with. He has built a new and lasting one on top of the old, just for good measure.

When I became chairman in 1933, many problems confronted the Exhibition Committee. One great problem was whether flower shows could be put on without our having the support of all the private exhibitors who were the very backbone of our flower shows from the Centennial up to the time when the depression became most acute. The answer was "Yes, we can put on flower shows because the public wants flower shows, and we will go out and get the support that we need from both the private and the commercial groups."

It must be remembered that in the show business there is—shall I call it—a "battle-cry." The words of this battle-cry are, "The show must go on," and our shows *have* gone on. In these last four years, within our Society, we have step by step built up a flower show organization that has functioned more effectively each year since its beginning. As the burden of show management has increased, the strength of this show unit has been tested over and over again, and wherever weaknesses have shown up, they have been corrected as and when they have developed. I am calling these things to your attention, for you who are our members should realize more than you do that the Spring show alone has grown into a business proposition of no little magnitude, and you must appreciate that in one short week, which is the duration of our Spring show, the judgments and the work of twelve to eighteen months are put to the severest kind of a test.

Times and conditions are ever changing. These changes are today far more sudden than they used to be. Even in flower shows, styles reverse themselves. The public of today demands novelty and lots of color, and, therefore, in the exhibitions of this Society, these whims must be recognized, but at the same time the standards of horticulture, regardless of pressure

from outside, must not be sacrificed. We must continue to uphold the highest standards of horticulture, not only in the matter of culture, but in arrangement as well.

This brings us to the Spring show of 1937, and it must be said that your Exhibition Committee entered upon the undertaking of bringing Holland to Mechanics Building with many misgivings as to the reception such a spectacle would receive at the hands of our more learned garden club members and others. As an interesting experiment, as a spectacular feature for a Spring flower show, as a milestone in flower show history, this year's unified picture of Holland did not fail in its purpose. The public came. The public went away pleased, and the echoes are still pleasant to hear.

I think that this year the garden club exhibits were distinctly meritorious. I think, too, that the rose exhibits were probably the best that we have ever had at a Boston show. This year, for some reason, our orchid exhibits did not measure up entirely to the standards that we have set in the past. In certain other ways our Spring show of this year could be criticized from a strictly horticultural standpoint, and the criticism would not be unfair. The 1937 Spring show, however, *was* a success. It will remain so in the records of the future.

Looking back over the past year, our smaller exhibitions have been very interesting. Our June show was particularly worth while. We had a large number of exhibitors. The attendance was larger than in the previous year, and the quality of the plant material shown was outstanding. It is to be regretted that at our June show, roses seem to have fallen by the wayside, and because of this, a serious attempt should be made to arouse a new exhibition interest in roses among our members. I hope that you will all go forth from this meeting and spread this doctrine, for we need *more* and we need *better* roses at our June shows.

Our mid-Summer and late Summer shows were held under the most trying weather conditions, and the attendance, as has been the case for several years, was disappointing. As these two shows have become highly specialized, the former in respect to gladiolus, and the latter in respect to dahlias, your committee has decided this coming year to turn our halls over to the New England Gladiolus Society and the New England Dahlia Society and allow these organizations to run these

Summer shows themselves. Your committee believes that this is a definitely progressive step to take at this time.

In October of last year, as we were hosts to the American Orchid Society, we did not schedule our usual Autumn show of fruits, vegetables, and flowers, and so particular stress was laid on the late Autumn or chrysanthemum show. It proved to be one of the best late-season shows that we have held for some years. Over twenty thousand people came to our chrysanthemum show, and the quality of the exhibits proved to be outstanding.

I have already commented on our Spring flower show of this year, and further comments, although possible, are unnecessary. I am therefore going to bring this report to its close by recording another successful daffodil show held April 30 and May 1 in this very hall. We had an attendance of close to three thousand persons, and the exhibits were of high horticultural value. Our daffodil show, up to the present time, has been run on an informal basis without a printed schedule. Its success has been distinctly gratifying, and as a retiring chairman, I hesitate a little in making the specific recommendation that it be made a regular scheduled show of the future. I am, however, willing to predict that it will become increasingly successful no matter how it is run, but once again let me plead for more exhibitors.

The daffodil, especially in England, and now in this country, is enjoying tremendous popularity within a limited group. Each and every one of you can grow daffodils outdoors in your gardens with the greatest ease and the maximum amount of enjoyment to yourselves. There is almost no limit to the new forms and varieties that are being introduced, and therefore our daffodil shows of the future can very well become an exhibition outlet for the many, rather than for the few, and future schedules can and will be ruled by the degree of enthusiasm and by the intelligent demands that you, our potential future exhibitors, may make upon the Exhibition Committee as your interest grows.

In closing, the success of our informal daffodil shows of the past three years suggests the thought that May is the month in which a very successful type of flower show could be run, combining tulips and rock gardens. At no time of the year are rock gardens better than in the month of May, and being an

educational institution striving always for greater and greater horticultural achievement, we might find new fields to conquer by teaching the art of rock gardening and disproving the suburbanite belief that rock gardens are merely rock piles, in which almost any and every type of plant material may be used. With this profound observation, and again with heartfelt thanks to each and all who have worked with me in these past four enjoyable years, I bring this, my last report as chairman, to its end.

HAROLD S. ROSS, *Chairman.*

Report of the Committee on Prizes

The work of the Prize Committee has gone on rather better this year. The system of choosing groups representative of various branches of judging has proved itself increasingly successful. Our card catalogue, which lists some of the best judges in the country, has been added to. We need to list a great many as we try not to use the same persons two years in succession.

Impartiality both of the judges and Prize Committee as well is our aim and this is of greatest importance.

Our new prize committee room at Mechanics Building, where the judges congregate before and after the judging and where a buffet luncheon is served, proved a great success this year and filled a much-needed want.

We have realized the necessity of speeding up the judging, as an early posting of decisions is of utmost importance to the exhibitors. This year showed marked improvement in this respect and everything points to even better results the coming year.

WILLIAM ELLERY, *Chairman.*

Report of the Committee on Lectures and Publications

This committee has little of importance to report except progress. The circulation of *Horticulture* has increased steadily, and with but little effort apart from the sending out of sample copies and subscription letters. The total subscription is now about 28,000.

The financial standing of the paper is handicapped by the fact that a two-cent stamp must be affixed to every copy which is mailed within the Boston postal district. As a large propor-

tion of our members live within this radius, the bill for postage is very high. In point of fact, it costs fifty cents a year to send *Horticulture* to each member of the society. It costs much less to send the paper to our subscribers in Pennsylvania and New York than to those in Boston itself. That is one of the peculiarities of Uncle Sam's postal system.

In the matter of lectures, the committee has maintained its policy of engaging speakers of ability whenever the occasion offered rather than preparing a set lecture schedule in advance. Probably the most notable lecture given the past season has been that of Miss Margaret Preininger of Los Angeles, Calif., who lectured on "Japanese Flower Arrangement." A course of six lectures conducted by Mrs. Julia A. Latimer of Mamaroneck, N. Y., was well attended. This was the second course Mrs. Latimer has given here. It was a privilege to have Dr. Elmer D. Merrill, head of Harvard's horticultural institutions, as a speaker. His topic was "Origins of Cultivated Plants in Relation to the Origins of Civilization."

Other lectures included Mrs. Preston Rice of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Norman Taylor of New York. Mr. C. Edward Newell, president of the Massachusetts School of Art, gave two lectures on flower arrangement, as well as conducting a course under the auspices of the State Department of Education.

Monthly lectures and exhibits have been carried through the Winter in co-operation with the Gardeners' and Florists' Club of Boston, and the last lecture, that given by Mr. E. K. Walrath of Springfield, who had not previously spoken in this hall, was particularly valuable. The other speakers at the monthly meetings were Dr. Donald Wyman of the Arnold Arboretum, William Doran of the Massachusetts State College and George Graves of the Waltham Field Station.

WINTHROP CARTER, *Chairman.*

Report of the Committee on the Exhibition of the Products of Children's Gardens

The Exhibition of the Products of Children's Gardens was shown in Horticultural Hall on the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth of August, with an excellent display of flowers and vegetables. The exhibit which attracted most interest was one which completely filled the small hall with adequately

labeled wild flowers which many persons might class as weeds. Chester Parker of Jamaica Plain showed 384 specimens. Helen Zinkosky had gone out from Leverett Street, Boston, to Jamaica Pond and Professor C. S. Sargent's old place and had gathered 250 varieties. Josephine Geabetti had enjoyed a visit to the Women's Municipal League Gardens in Woburn and there had gathered 150 flowers, which she had brought home and labeled.

So great was the interest in these wild flowers that Mr. Dooley suggested a test like an old-fashioned spelling-bee be given to the children to make sure of their knowledge of what they were showing. If it were well done, it would add to the fun of the children.

The exhibits of the 4-H clubs filled the Lecture Hall. Pauline Koch of East Lexington showed 184 specimens of beetles and butterflies which she had collected. Frances Clark had an interesting book of pressed weeds and flowers neatly mounted in a book of knotted pine covers.

It was a good exhibition, yet I missed the special features such as Mrs. Tudor's garden in old Boston with the dolls watering the flowers, the Cape Cod Cottage shown two years ago, and the American desert once shown by Gertrude Sinnett. Such features are interesting and tax the ingenuity of the boys and girls. Let us encourage the exhibitors to show more of them.

MARIAN ROBY CASE, *Chairman.*

The Result of the Balloting

The polls were closed at 4 P.M., 577 votes having been cast, and the following were declared elected:

President, EDWIN S. WEBSTER
Vice-President, OAKES AMES
Trustees, GEORGE W. BUTTERWORTH
MRS. S. V. R. CROSBY
WALTER HUNNEWELL
ROBERT H. ROLAND
ROBERT G. STONE

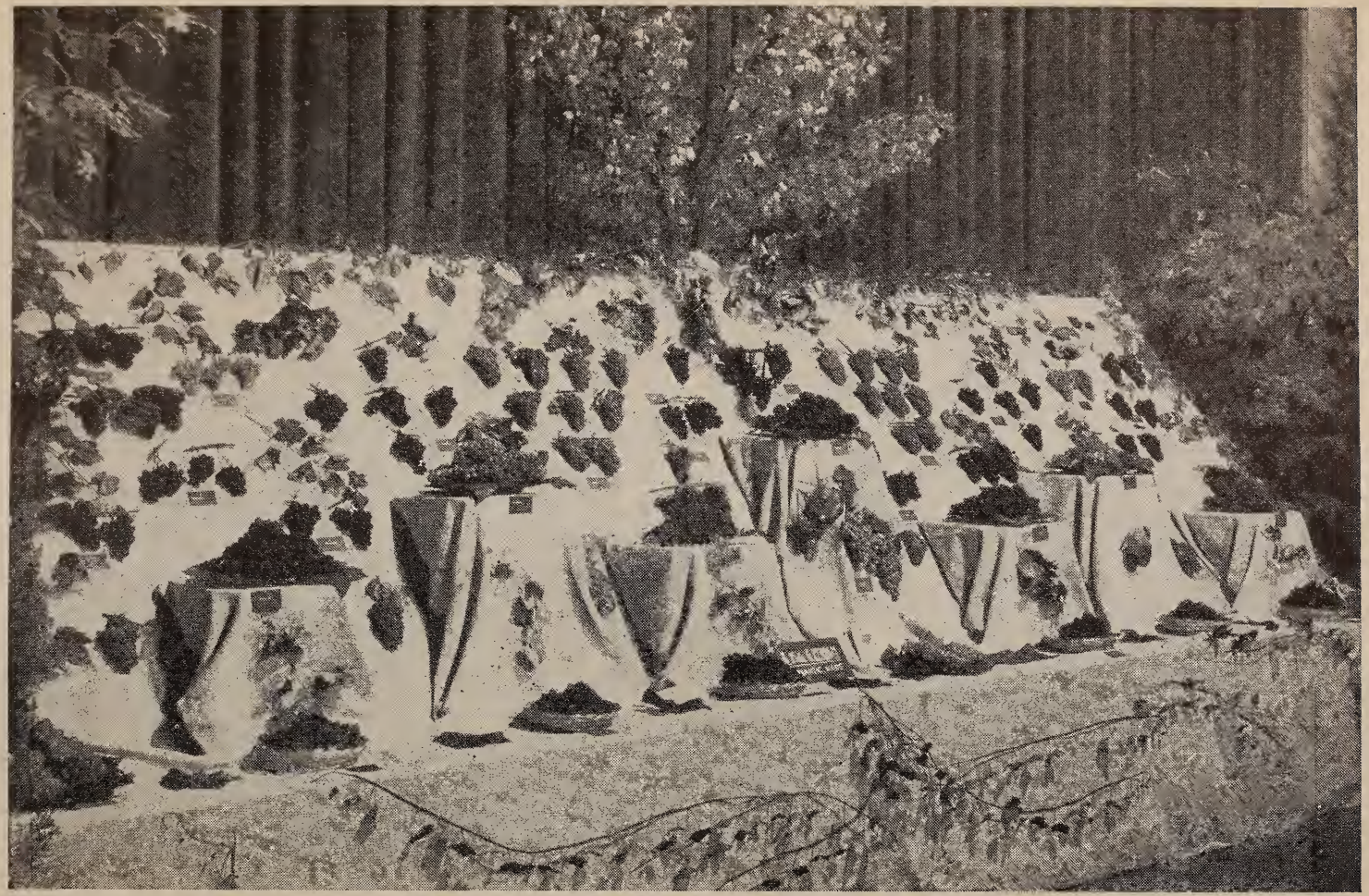

Exhibit of grapes set up by Dr. Walter G. Kendall at the October exhibition, 1936. Dr. Kendall was awarded a gold medal for this exhibit.

Massachusetts Horticultural Society

HONORARY MEMBER

1900 Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, New York.

CORRESPONDING MEMBERS

1925 D. M. Andrews, Boulder, Colorado.
1925 Rudolph D. Anstead, Bournemouth, England.
1921 J. F. Bailey, Director of the Botanic Gardens, Adelaide, South Australia.
1889 Dr. L. H. Bailey, Ithaca, New York.
1925 F. R. S. Balfour, F.L.S., Dawyck, Stobo, Tweeddale, Scotland.
1911 W. J. Bean, 2, Mortlake Road, Kew, England.
1918 Désiré Bois, Paris, France.
1925 I. H. Burkill, F.L.S., care the Royal Gardens, Kew, England.
1922 Joseph Edgar Chamberlin, Boston, Mass.
1921 Fred J. Chittenden, F.L.S., Royal Horticultural Society, Vincent Square, Westminster, London, England.
1925 Woon Young Chun, Sun Yatsen University, Canton, China.
1925 Henri Correvon, Geneva, Switzerland.
1925 G. W. Darnell-Smith, Director of the Sydney Botanic Gardens, Sydney, New South Wales.
1925 Henry F. duPont, Winterthur, Delaware.
1925 Pierre S. duPont, Wilmington, Delaware.
1925 I. B. Pole Evans, C.M.G., Chief of Division and Director Botanical Survey, Pretoria, South Africa.
1925 G. Fraser, Ucluelet, Vancouver Island, British Columbia.
1925 W. G. Freeman, B.S.C., F.L.S., Imperial Institute, South Kensington, London S. W. 7, England.
1900 Beverly T. Galloway, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.
1918 Professor N. E. Hansen, Brookings, South Dakota.
1911 Professor U. P. Hedrick, Geneva, New York.
1925 Sir Arthur W. Hill, K.C.M.G., F.R.S., F.L.S., Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, Surrey, London, England.
1925 Professor H. H. Hu, Fan Memorial Institute of Biology, Peking, China.
1925 Mrs. C. L. Hutchinson, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.

1925 Charles W. Knight, Oakdale, New York.
1921 C. E. Lane-Poole, Canberra, Australia.
1925 C. C. Laney, Rochester, New York.
1911 M. Émile Lemoine, Nancy, France.
1925 Donald MacGregor, care Royal Gardens, Kew, England.
1925 Sir John S. Maxwell, Bart., K.T., Pollok House, near Glasgow, Scotland.
1925 The Rt. Hon. Sir Herbert E. Maxwell, Bart., K.T., F.R.S., D.C.L., Monreith, Wigtownshire, Scotland.
1918 J. Horace McFarland, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.
1925 John McLaren, San Francisco, California.
1925 Mrs. William Mercer, Doylestown, Pennsylvania.
1925 Dr. Kingo Miyabe, Imperial University, Sapparo, Japan.
1898 Sir Frederick W. Moore, F.L.S., Willbrook House, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin, Ireland.
1918 Dr. George T. Moore, Botanical Gardens, St. Louis, Missouri.
1925 F. Cleveland Morgan, Montreal, Canada.
1925 M. L. Pardé, Nogent-sur-Vernisson (Loiret), France.
1906 Lt.-Col. Sir David Prain, C.M.G., F.R.S., F.L.S., Warlingham, Surrey, England.
1925 Miss Isabella Preston, Ottawa, Canada.
1925 Johannes Rafn, Skovfrokontoret, Copenhagen, Denmark.
1906 Dr. Henry L. Ridley, C.M.G., F.R.S., F.L.S., Kew, Surrey, England.
1921 L. Rodway, C.M.G., Government Botanist and Secretary, Botanic Gardens, Hobart, Tasmania.
1925 Camillo Schneider, Gartenschonheit, Berlin-Westend, Germany.
1925 F. L. Skinner, Dropmore, Manitoba.
1925 Professor Sir William Wright Smith, F.L.S., Royal Botanic Gardens, Edinburgh, Scotland.
1893 Professor William Trelease, Urbana, Illinois.
1918 F. Gomer Waterer, Knaphill, Surrey, England.
1925 Cyril T. White, Government Botanist, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia.
1919 J. C. Williams, Gorran, Cornwall, England.
1921 Gurney Wilson, Secretary Royal Horticultural Society Orchid Committee, Vincent Square, London S. W. 1, England.
1925 John C. Wister, Germantown, Pennsylvania.
1925 Major A. C. T. Woodward, Bewdley, Worcestershire, England.

A gold medal for superior culture was given the chrysanthemum exhibit set up by C. C. Walker of Manchester at the Autumn show in 1936

NEW MEMBERS, 1936

Abbot, Mrs. John R., Cambridge
Abbott, Miss Bertha J., Dorchester
Abbott, Mr. S. L., Jr., Pomfret, Conn.
Aberdein, Mrs James D., Brookline
Adams, Miss Clara A., Dorchester
Adams, Mrs. H. M., Brookline
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Alexander, Mrs. D. C., Roslindale
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Allen, Mr. Leslie H., Newton Highlands
Allen, Mrs. W. Stuart, Concord
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